

Dual-RICH update 2-29-2016

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- Focal position and focal plane shaping

- The method presented in

- Križan Peter and Marko Starič. "The optimal detector surface of a fixed target RICH with a tilted mirror." NIM A 379.1 (1996): 124-129.

- has been partially followed.

Position of the
focal
with respect to
the “naive”
sphere

$$r_m = 280 \text{ cm}$$

Track polar angle

$$\theta = 5^\circ$$

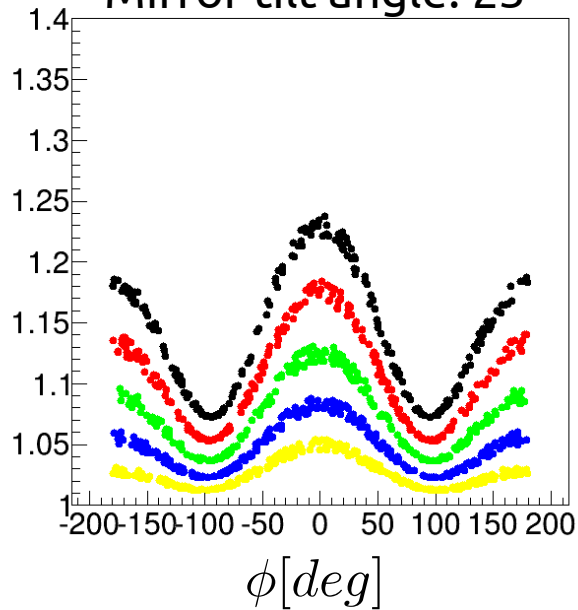
$$\theta = 10^\circ$$

$$\theta = 15^\circ$$

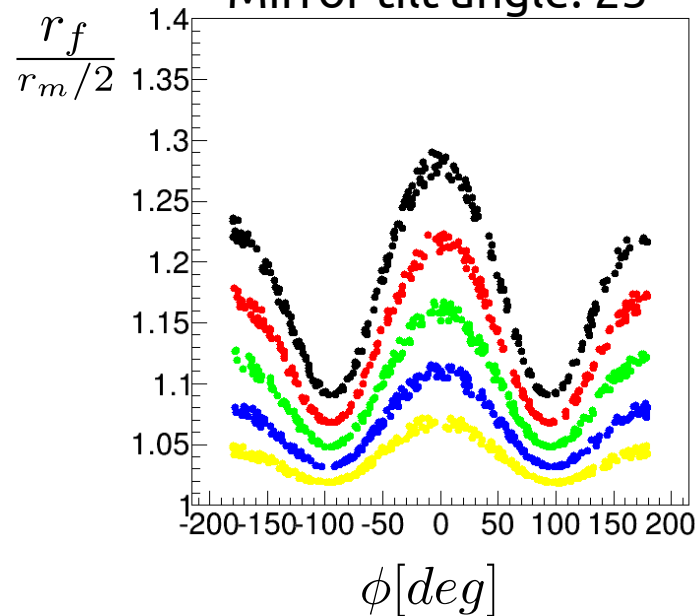
$$\theta = 20^\circ$$

$$\theta = 25^\circ$$

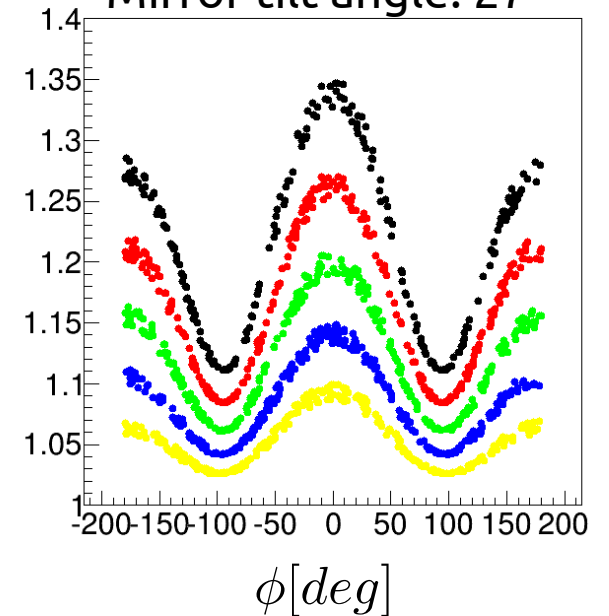
Mirror tilt angle: 23°



Mirror tilt angle: 25°



Mirror tilt angle: 27°



Azhimutal angle of the photons with respect to
the track direction

Position of the
focal
with respect to
the “naive”
sphere

$$r_m = 300 \text{ cm}$$

Track polar angle

$$\theta = 5^\circ$$

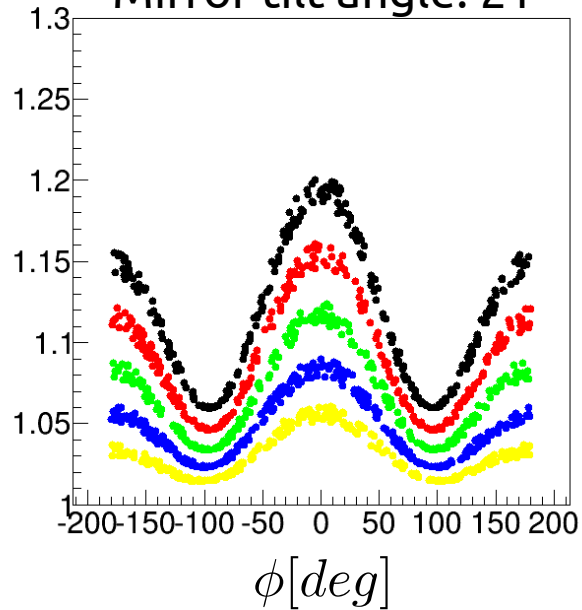
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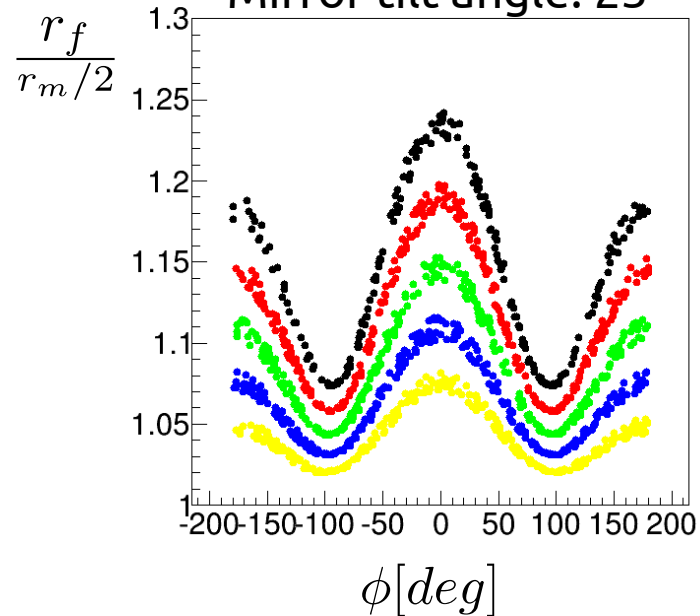
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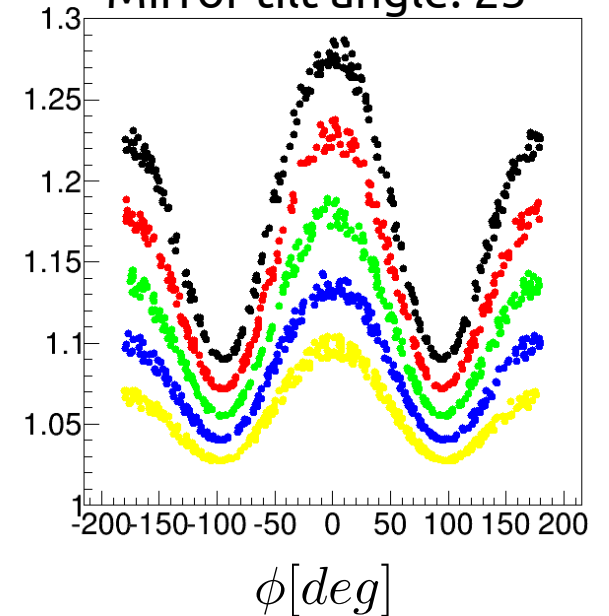
Mirror tilt angle: 21°



Mirror tilt angle: 23°

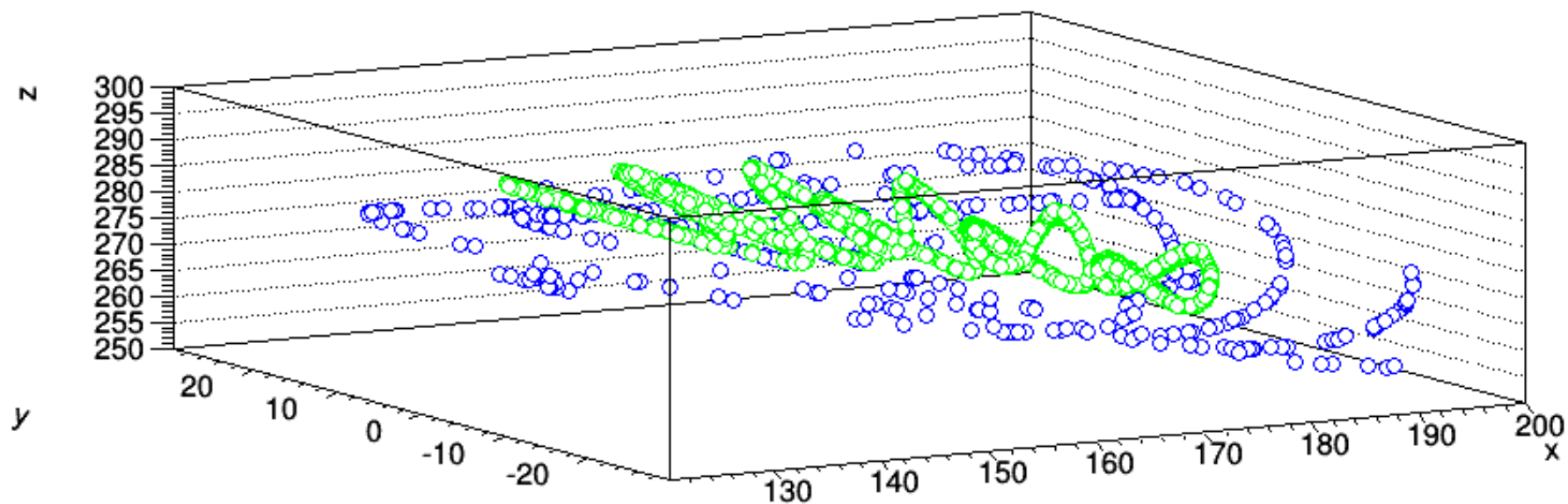


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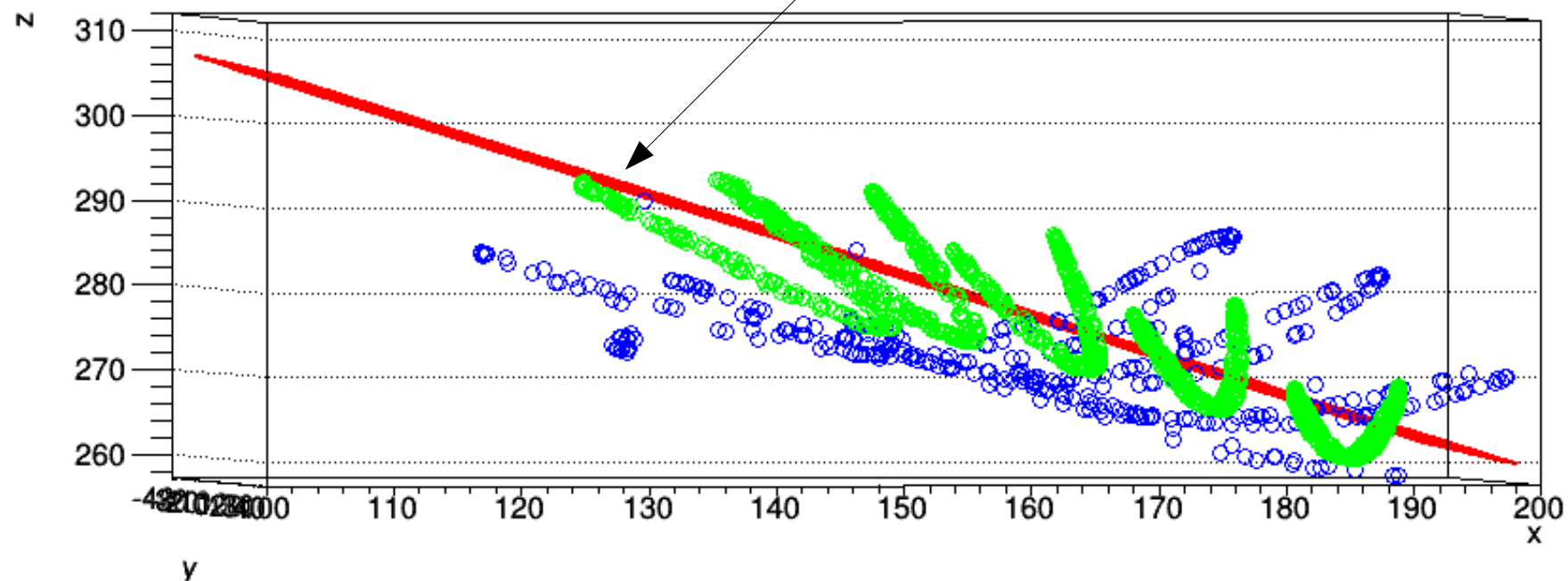
Azhimutal angle of the photons with respect to
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Graph2D

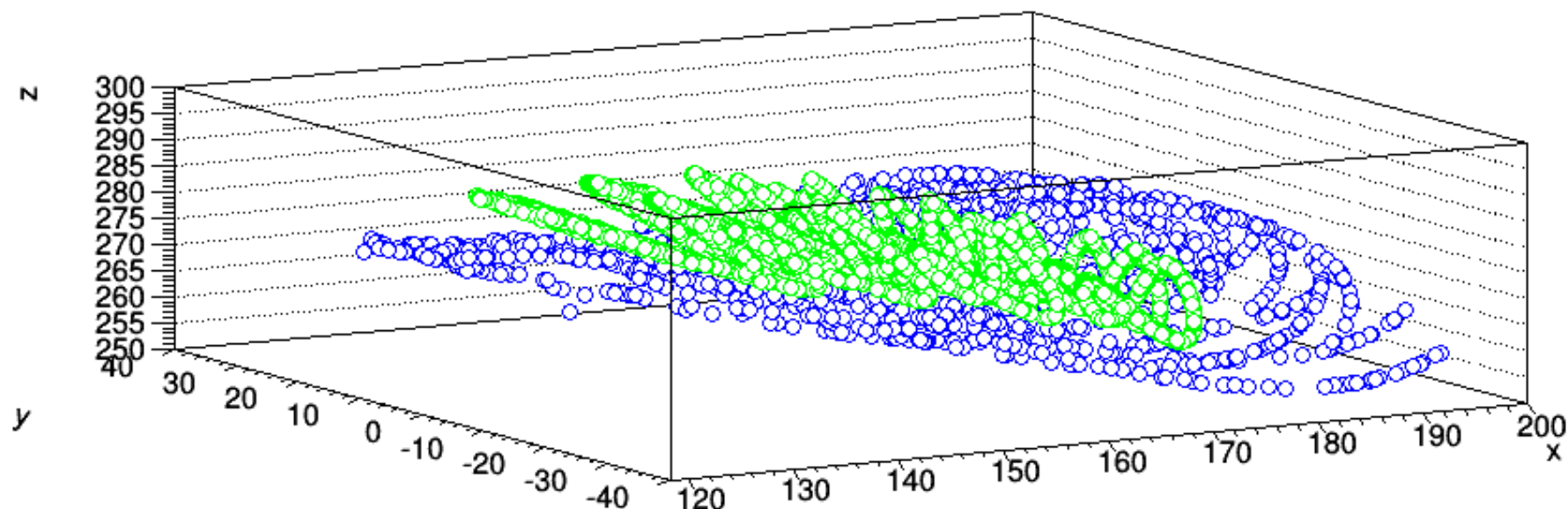


Gas focal at 5° is inside the gas volume, almost for all the usefull radius range!

$$(-[0]*x-[1]*y-[3])/[2]$$

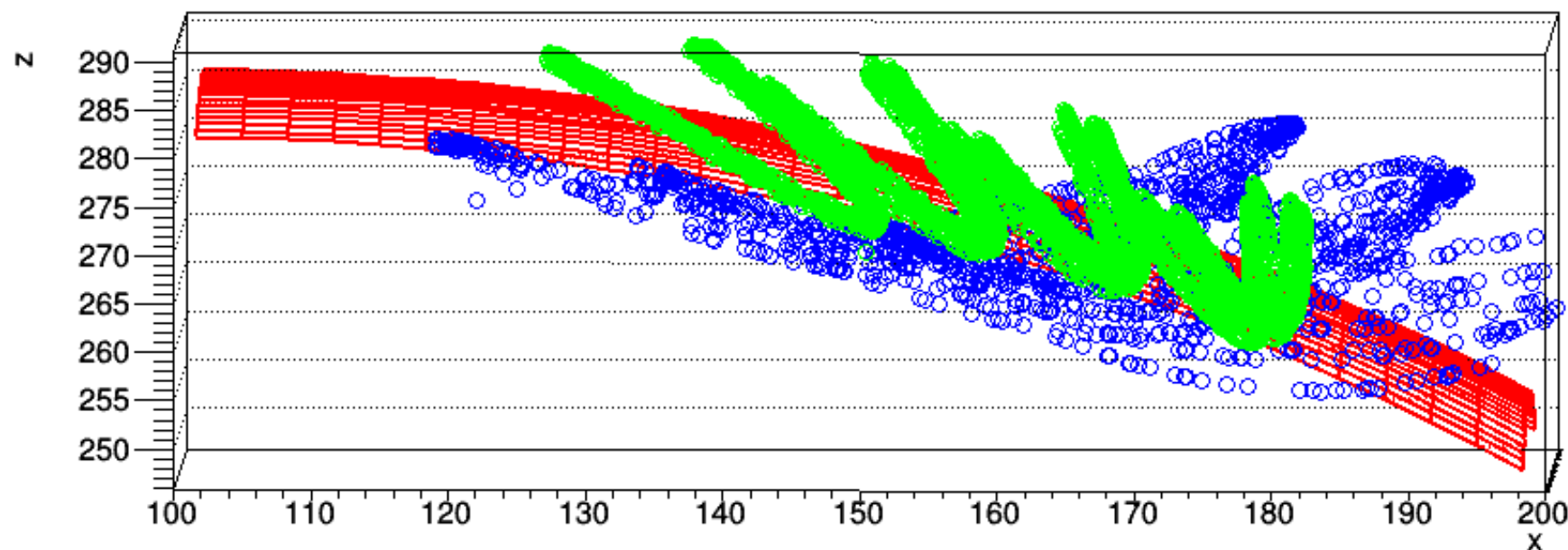


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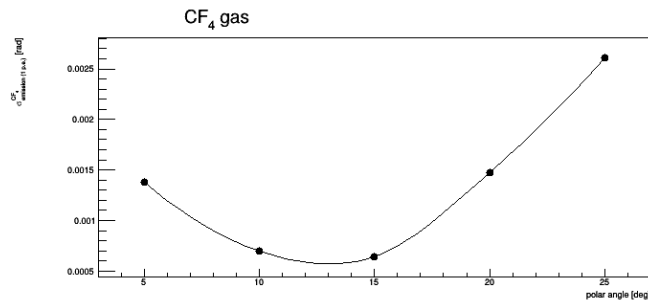
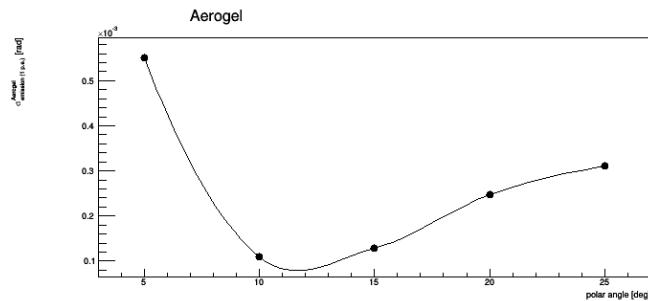
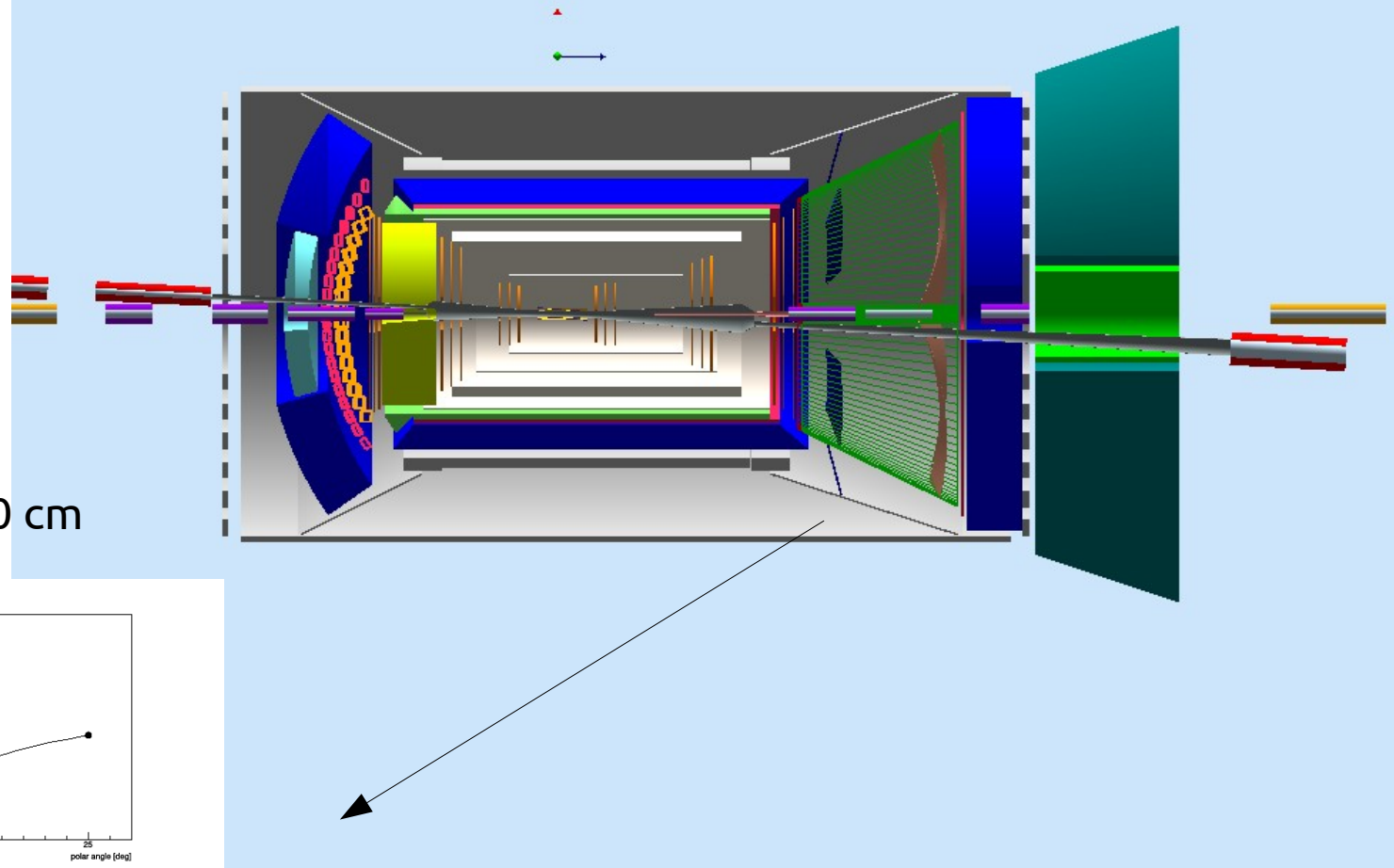
A good compromise is fitting a spherical focal plane with increased radius

$$\sqrt{[0]^2 - (x-100)^2 - (y-0)^2} + 124.5$$



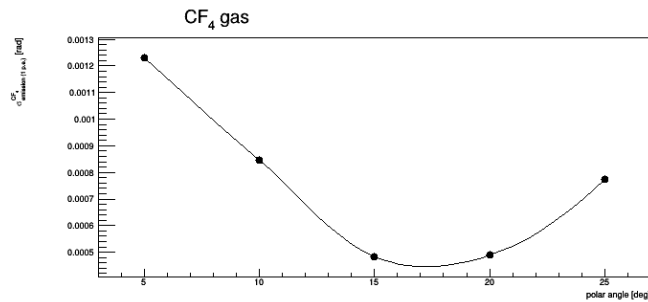
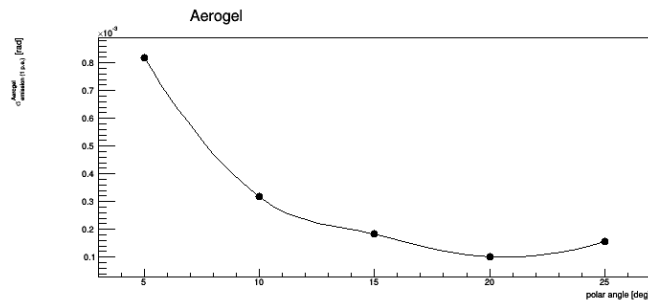
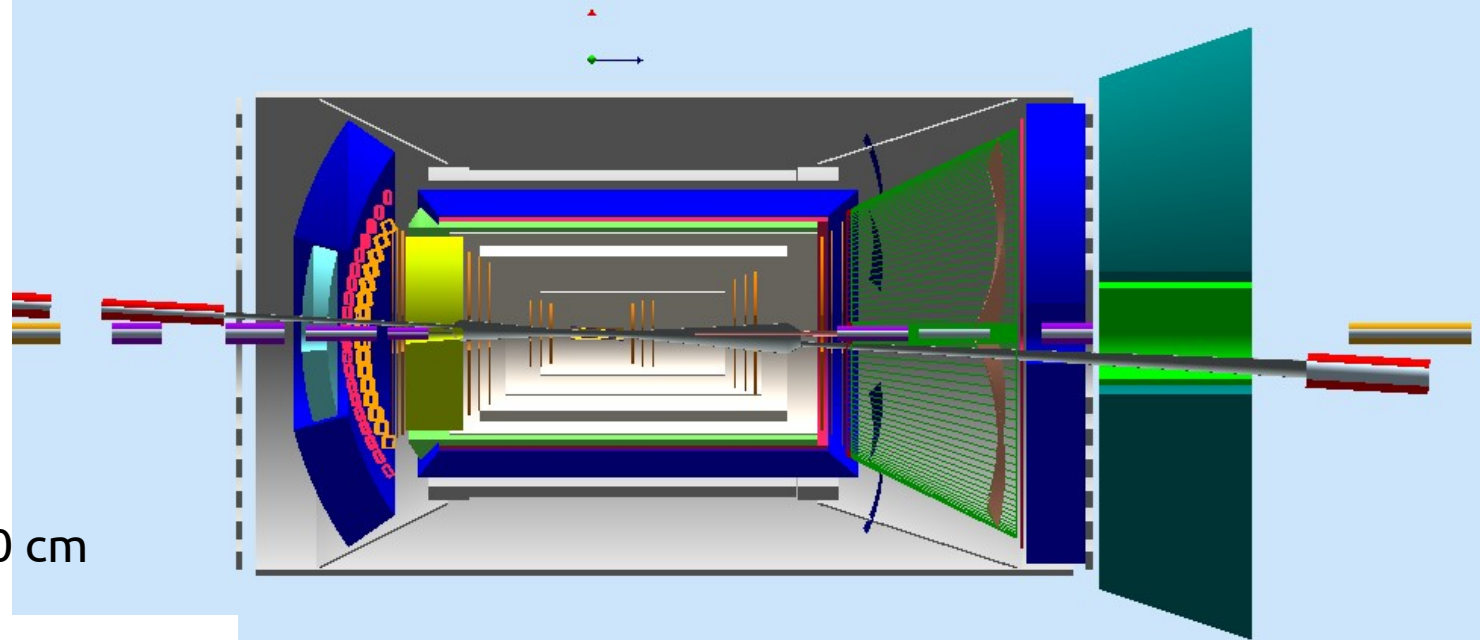
Available space
for RICH in
The full detector

Mirror radius = 270 cm



Flat focal plane in order to be in space!
That is in the opposite side with respect to
the focal of the mirror!

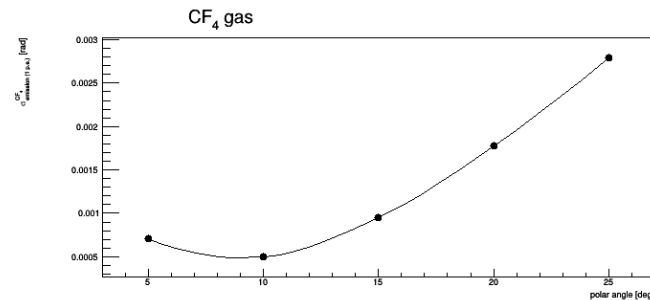
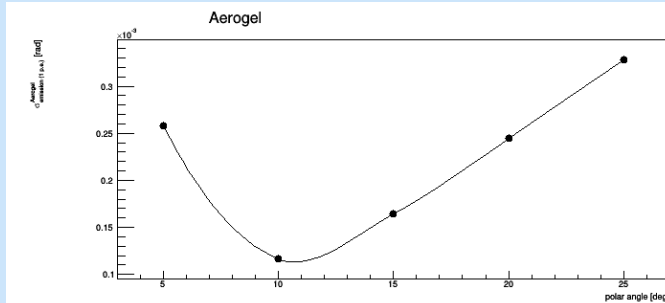
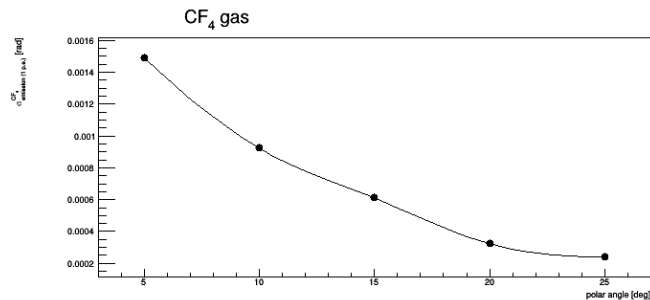
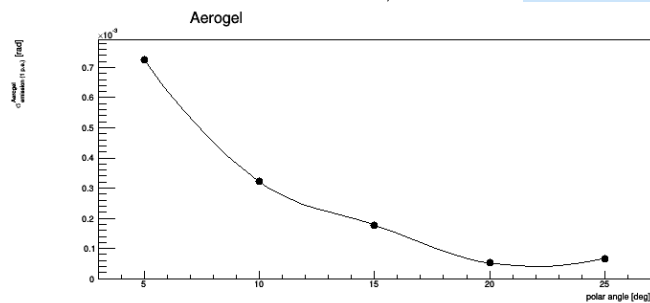
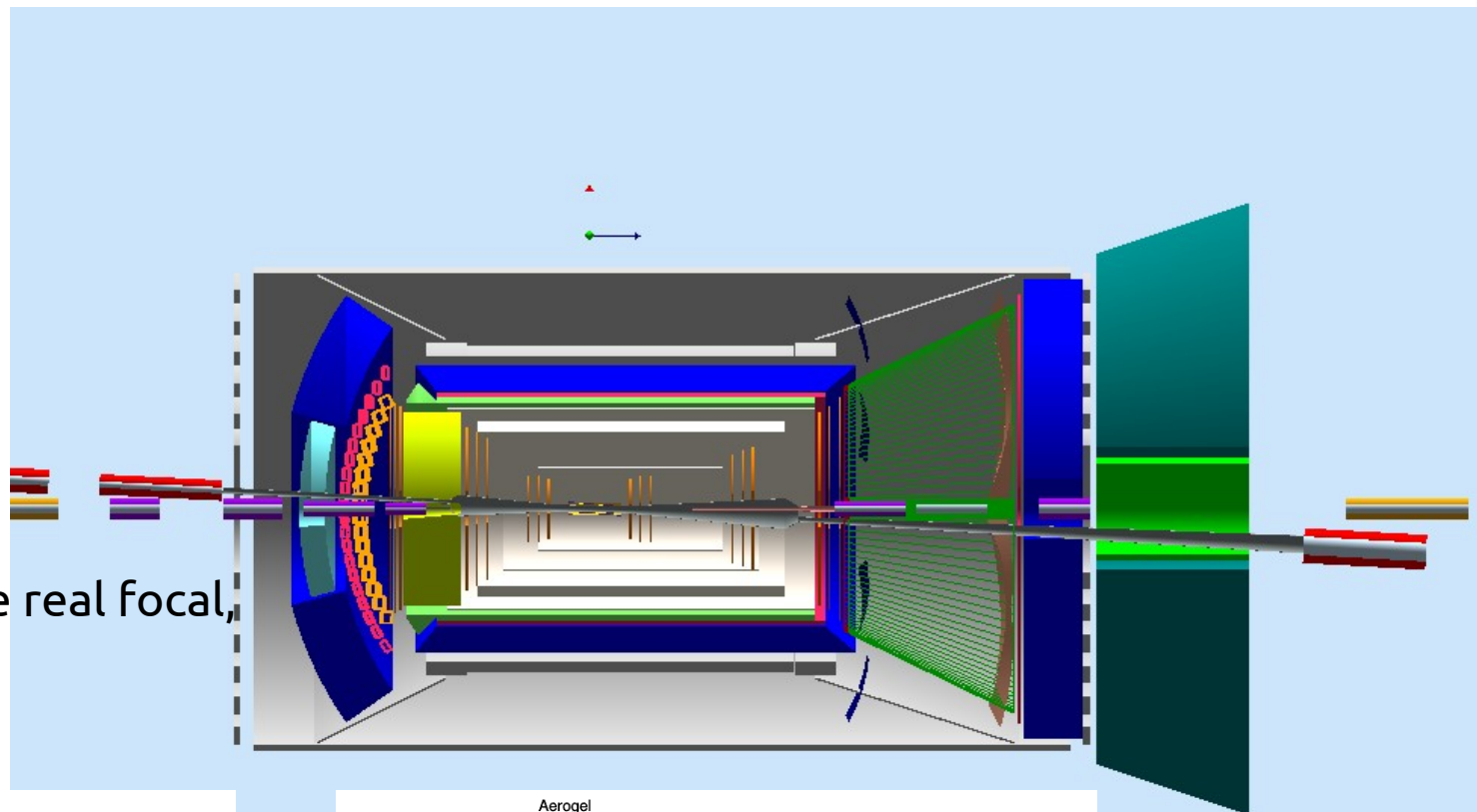
Mirror radius = 270 cm



Focal plane nearest to the real focal,
but out of space!

Mirror radius = 300 cm

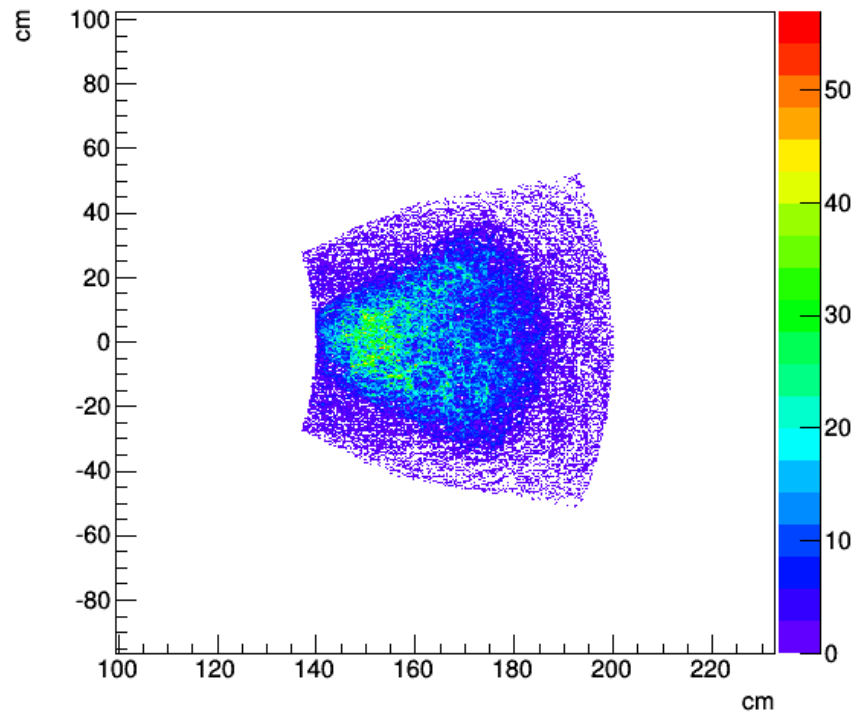
Focal plane nearest to the real focal,
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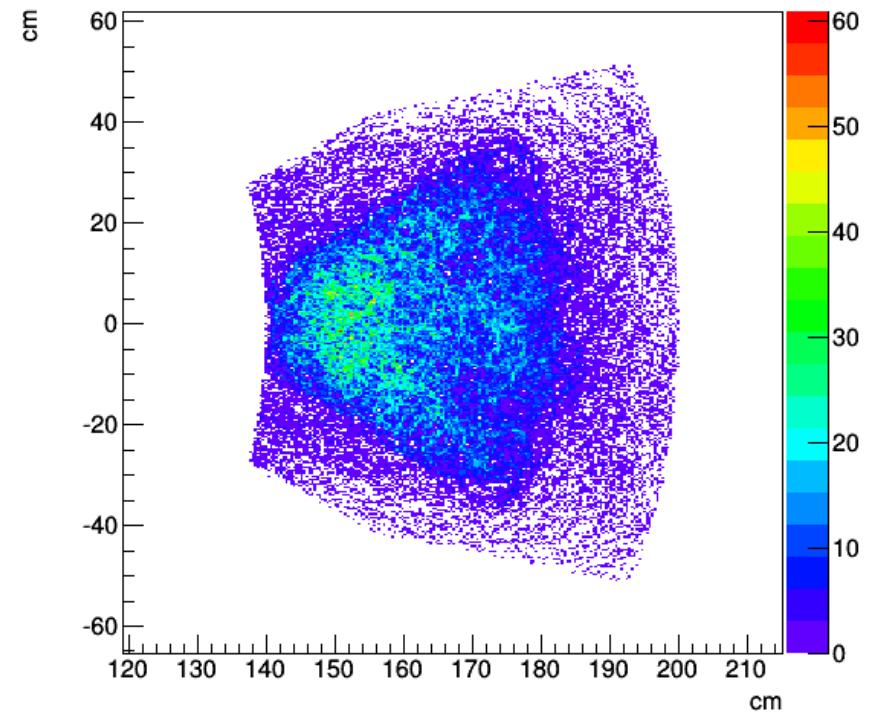
Flat plane
In space

Detector plane effective size

Mirror 3 m

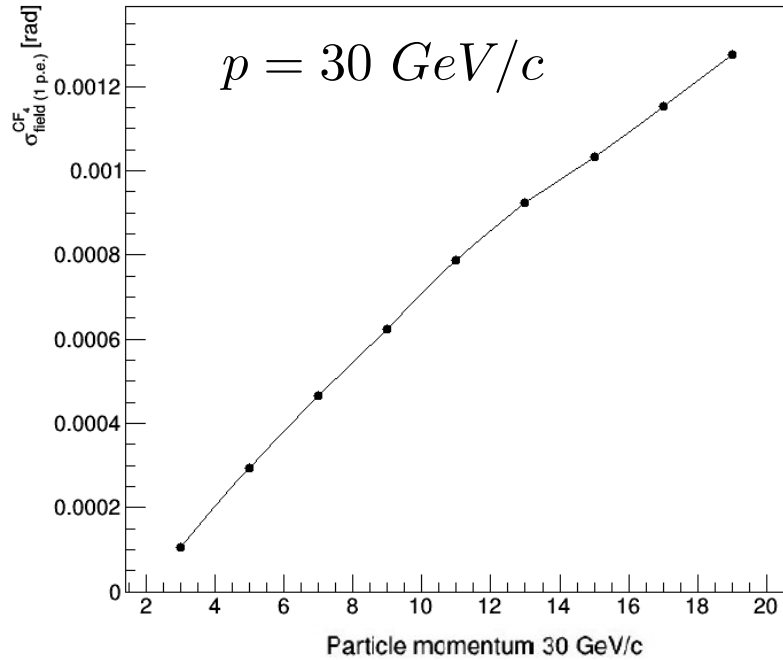


Mirror 2.7 m

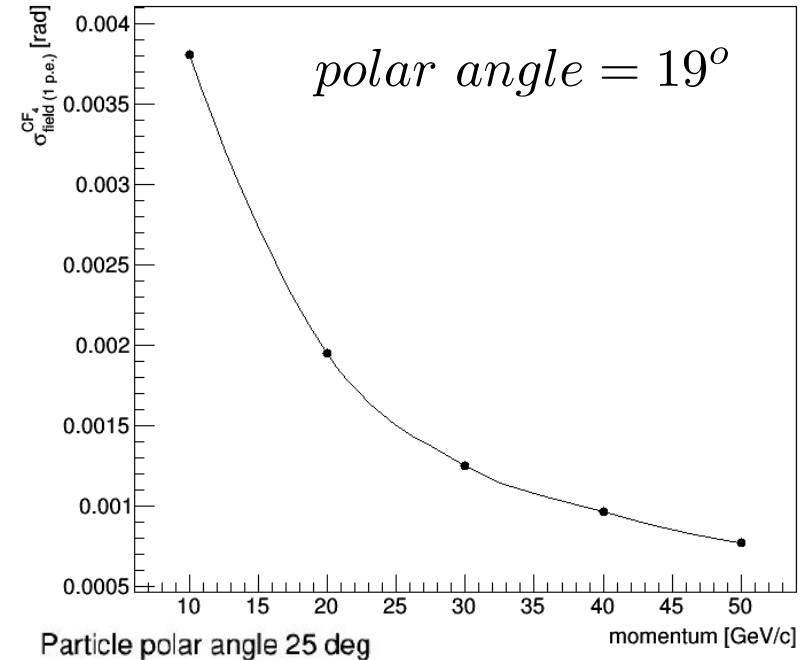


Field effects – gemc (the other main error)

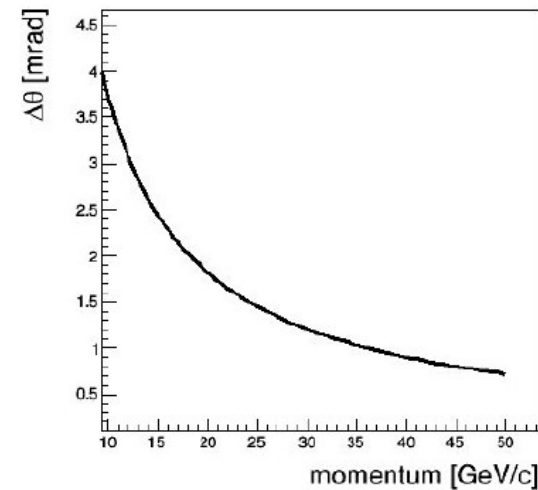
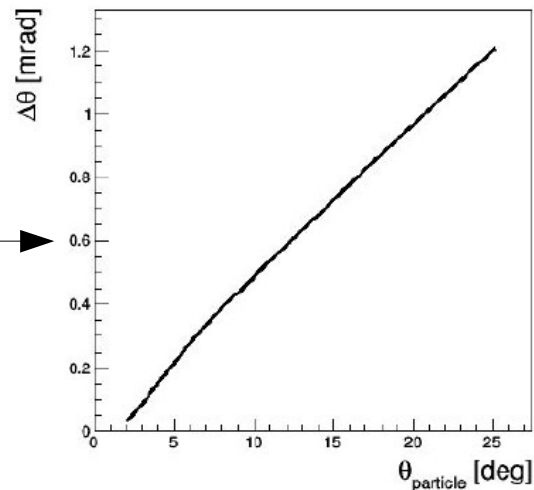
CF₄ gas



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Semi-analytic



To do Next

- Find the optimum, given the available space
- Other mirror shape:
 - Elliptical mirror: it is suggested to use for threshold cherenkov, with the target in one of the focals. It does not converge parallel rays in the same ring.
 - Parabolic mirror: It reduces the spherical aberrations, but it does not solve the problem with the spece.

Dual-radiator RICH GEANT4/gemc simulation

Aerogel

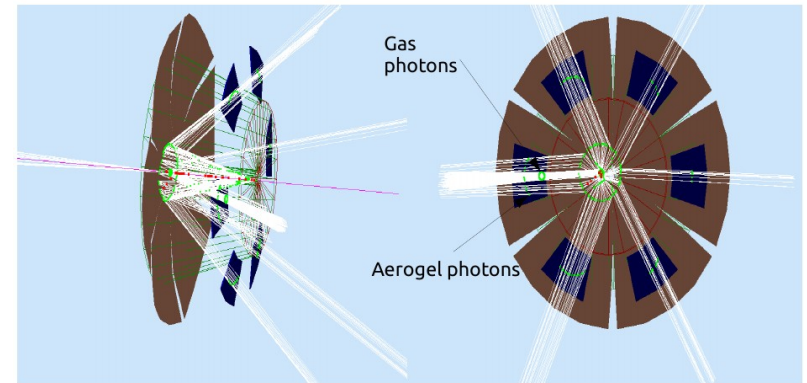
CF₄ gas

Errors on θ_c	mrاد	Errors on θ_c	mrاد
Chromatic	2.4	Chromatic	0.6
Emission	0.5 – 0.1	Emission	1.3 – 0.3
Pixel size (3 mm)	0.6	Pixel size (3 mm)	0.6
σ_{tot}	2.5	σ_{tot}	1.6
Npe	~ 10	Npe	~ 20

Momentum independent error contributions (1 p.e.), disentangled using the GEANT simulated data
In combination with the inverse ray tracing reconstruction algorithm developed and used for the HERMES experiment dual-radiator RICH

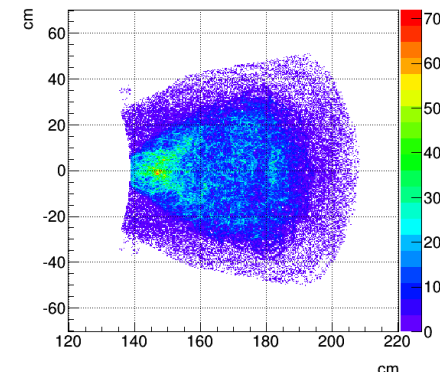
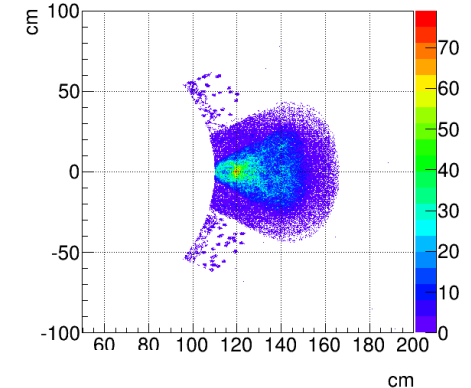
Magnetic field and track smearing to be added

The emission error contribution depends on the polar angle of the emitting track and on the position/shape of the photodetector plane, namely it depends on the distance of the detector plane from the focus of the mirror at a given polar angle --> solutions to minimize the error range under study



Two options of configuration under study:

Polar angle coverage up to 21° --> smaller detector size



Polar angle coverage up to 25° --> increased detector size